

ble, Assistant Secretary for Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy.

Hearings continue March 11.

BREEDER REACTOR AND NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE REPROCESSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Production held a hearing on DOE breeder reactor and nuclear fuel cycle reprocessing programs for fiscal year 1983 budget request. Testimony was heard from Representative Morrison and from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Dr. Shelby T. Brewer, Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy and Gordon L. Chipman, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary for Reactor Programs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR SAFETY

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight and the Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a joint hearing on air safety. Testimony was heard from James Burnett, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; Dr. Jack Kerrebrock, Associate Administrator, Office of Aeronautics and Space Technology, NASA; Al Albrecht, Associate Administrator, Office of Engineering and Development, FAA and public witnesses.

GREAT LAKES PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 3600, Great Lakes Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Robert McEwen, Chairman, U.S. Section, International Joint Commission; Martin Belsky, Assistant Administrator, Policy and Planning Section, NOAA, Department of Commerce and public witnesses.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Small Business: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

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Wednesday, March 10, 1982

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3789-3878

Bills Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2185-2189 and S.J. Res. 163.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 140, designating February 11, 1982, as "National Inventor's Day", with an amendment.

S.J. Res. 149, designating the week of June 6 through 12, 1982, as "National Child Abuse Prevention Week."

S. Con. Res. 62, congratulating Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, on its seventieth anniversary.

S. 2166, providing for the distribution within the United States of the International Communication Agency slide show entitled "Montana: The People Speak."

S. 907, including Cabinet officers under the provisions of the U.S. Code relating to assassination, kidnapping, and assault, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute (S. Rept. No. 97-320).

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Senator Harrison A. Williams, Jr.: Senate continued consideration of S. Res. 204, expelling Senator Harrison A. Williams, Jr., of New Jersey, from the Senate, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Cranston Amendment No. 1336 (in the nature of a substitute), to censure instead of expel Senator Williams.

During consideration of this measure today, the following votes were taken:

(1) By 93 yeas to 3 nays, Senate agreed to a motion to compel the attendance of absent Senators.

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(2) By 90 yeas to 4 nays, Senate agreed to a motion to compel the attendance of absent Senators.

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(3) By 95 yeas to 4 nays, Senate agreed to a motion to compel the attendance of absent Senators.

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Messages from the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Measures Placed on Calendar:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Statements:

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Quorum Calls: Three quorum calls were taken today. (Total—26)

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—51)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:26 p.m., until 10:00 a.m., on Thursday, March

11, 1982. (For Senate's program see remarks of Senator Baker in today's Record on page 3878.)

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation resumed hearings on S. 2109, authorizing funds for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, receiving testimony from William Leshner, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Economics; Howard Stotler, Futures Industry Association, Washington, D.C.; Edmund R. Schroeder, on behalf of the American Bar Association, Thomas A. Russo, Howard Schneider, Richard E. Nathan, and Richard A. Miller, all of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, John H. Conheeney, Merrill Lynch Commodities, and David Johnston, E. F. Hutton, all of New York City; Harold Heinold, Heinold Companies, Kouts, Indiana; Michael Unger, Massachusetts Securities Division, Boston, Orestes Mihaly, New York Bureau of Investor Protection and Securities, New York City, and K. Houston Matney, Maryland Securities Commissioner, Annapolis, all on behalf of the North American Securities Administrators Association, Inc.

Hearings continue on tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOJ

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1983 for the Department of Justice, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, James A. Kennedy, Acting Comptroller, and Charles R. Neill, Controller, all of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Francis M. Mullen, Jr., Acting Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, and Norman A. Carlson, Director, Bureau of Prisons, all of the Department of Justice.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, March 12.

APPROPRIATIONS—SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION AND REFUGEE PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1983 for the Social Security Administration and refugee programs, receiving testimony from Senator Hayakawa; and John A. Svahn, Commissioner, Social Security Administration.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1983 for foreign assistance programs, receiving testimony from Alexander M. Haig, Jr., Secretary of State.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

FORMER MILITARY SPOUSES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel resumed hearings on S. 1814, providing for the rights of former spouses to military retirement pay and health care protection, receiving testimony from Lawrence J. Korb, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower, Reserve Affairs and Logistics).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DOD

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1983 for the Department of Defense, focusing on space systems, receiving testimony from Lt. Col. Thomas Krebs, Astronautical Engineer, Defense Intelligence Agency, Robert Cooper, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Research and Engineering/Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, (Designate)), Maj. Gen. Donald Lamberson, Director, Directed Energy Program Coordinator, and J. Richard Airey, Director, Directed Energy Program, both of the Office of Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering, all of the Department of Defense; Wayne Boring, Director, Office of Scientific and Weapons Research, Central Intelligence Agency; and Edward C. Aldridge, Under Secretary of the Air Force, Charles Cook, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Space Plans and Policy, and Brig. Gen. Bernard P. Randolph, Director, Space Systems and Command, Control, Communications, and Deputy Chief of Staff, Research, Development and Acquisition, all of the Department of the Air Force.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 12.

DELAYED FUNDS AVAILABILITY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs concluded hearings to examine certain financial institution practices of restricting individuals from withdrawing funds represented by checks deposited to their accounts, after receiving testimony from Theodore E. Allison, Staff Director for Federal Reserve Bank Activities, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Robert J. McEwen, Boston College, Boston, Massachusetts; Barry Pickell, Old Stone Bank, Providence, Rhode Island; William Heron, Jr., Citibank, New York City; Jacqueline Del Bucchia, Bank of

America, San Francisco, California; Phillip Messina, Columbia Savings Bank, Woodhaven, New York, on behalf of U.S. League of Savings Associations; and Charles E. Arner, First National Bank of St. Paul, Minnesota, on behalf of American Bankers Association.

FIRST BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Committee resumed hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution for fiscal year 1983, setting forth recommended levels of total budget outlays, Federal revenues, and new Budget authority, receiving testimony on the role of user charges in transportation policy from Charles Swinburn, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and International Affairs, and John Fowler, General Counsel, both of the Department of Transportation; Alice M. Rivlin, Director, Congressional Budget Office; and Lester Lave, The Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1657, establishing a uniform Federal policy for the management and utilization of inventions developed under Federal contracts, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1936, requiring members of the National Transportation Safety Board to be chosen from individuals with expertise in specified fields, with amendments; and

The nomination of James W. Winchester, of Mississippi, to be Associate Administrator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and four U.S. Coast Guard nominations in the rank of Rear Admiral.

BUDGET

Committee on Finance: Committee met to further discuss the Administration's budget proposals for fiscal year 1983 which fall within the jurisdiction of the committee, focusing on entitlement programs and approaches to restrain their growth, and work incentives in the welfare system and how the Administration's proposals will affect them, receiving testimony from David A. Stockman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

U.S./CANADA ECONOMIC RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy concluded hearings on U.S. economic relations with Canada, after receiving testimony from Raymond Waldman, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for International Economic Policy; Robert Hormats, Assistant Secretary

of State for Economic and Business Affairs; Marc Leland, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs; and Harvey Bale, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Investment Policy.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S.J. Res. 110, amending the Constitution to establish legislative authority in the Congress and the States with respect to abortion, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S.J. Res. 149, designating the week of June 6 through 12, 1982, as "National Child Abuse Prevention Week";

S.J. Res. 140, designating February 11, 1982, as "National Inventor's Day", with an amendment changing the date to February 11, 1983;

S. Con. Res. 62, congratulating Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, on its seventieth anniversary; and

The nominations of J. Alan Johnson, to be U.S. Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania, William L. Lutz, to be U.S. Attorney for the District of New Mexico, David D. Queen, of Maryland, to be U.S. Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, and Christian Hansen, Jr., to be U.S. Marshal for the District of Vermont;

Also, committee began consideration of S. 1030, revising certain provisions of the Gun Control Act (P.L. 90-618), relating to the licensing of manufacturers, dealers, and importers of firearms and ammunition, and providing for mandatory minimum sentences of Federal felonies committed with firearm or destructive devices, S. 1940, setting forth new procedures governing the extradition of persons to and from the United States for alleged criminal activity, S. 2000, establishing an eligibility test for bankruptcy relief based on the individual petitioner's ability to pay a reasonable portion of his debts out of future income, and the committee agreed to a committee resolution providing for final disposition of S. 995, providing for contribution of damages in antitrust price fixing suits.

MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings on problems associated with the medicare reimbursement system for hospitals, receiving testimony from Bryan Mitchell, Deputy Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; Barry Friedman, New York Chief Assistant Deputy Attorney General for Medicaid Fraud Control, Albany; Merrit Jacoby, Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, and John Hoff, National Association of Community Hospitals, both of Washington, D.C.; Ted Ackroyd, Hospital Association of Pennsylvania, Har-

risburg; and Tom Moore, Special Assistant to the Comptroller of California, Sacramento; Stephen Miller, Beverly Hills, California; and Pat Wilkerson, Los Angeles, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 5786-5803; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 431-433, H. Con. Res. 284 and 285, and H. Res. 382-386 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Report entitled "Defense Department's Failure to Properly Manage Conventional Ammunition" (H. Rept. 97-455).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 371 yeas to 16 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 22, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, March 9.

Pages 3757-3758

Committee Funds: House considered H. Res. 378, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by standing and select committees of the House in the second session of the Ninety-seventh Congress.

Subsequently, the resolution was withdrawn.

Pages 3763-3770

Adjournment: Met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 4:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research, and Foreign Agriculture concluded oversight hearings on USDA Extension Service, Science and Education Administration. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

NATIONAL FOREST MANAGEMENT ACT REGULATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms, and Energy held a hearing on National Forest Management Act regulations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture held a hearing on Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of USDA: Harry C. Mussman, Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service and C. W. McMillan, Assistant Secretary for Marketing and Inspection Services.

COMMERCE-JUSTICE-STATE-THE JUDICIARY AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce-Justice-State-The Judiciary and Related Agencies held a hearing on Department of Justice, General Legal Activities, U.S. Attorneys, U.S. Trustees and U.S. Marshals, and Antitrust Division. Testimony was heard from Edward C. Schmultz, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on DOD intelligence programs. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development met in executive session to hold a hearing on Atomic Energy Defense Activities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Adm. K. R. McKee, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Naval Reactors and Herman Roser, Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs.

HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on HUD-Independent Agencies concluded hearings on Veterans' Administration. Testimony was heard from Robert P. Nimmo, Administrator, VA.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Indian Health Service. Testimony was heard from Dr. Everett Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.

LABOR-HHS AND EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS and Education held a hearing on Secretary of Education, Compensatory Education for the Disadvantaged, Special Programs. Testimony was heard from Terrel H. Bell, Secretary of Education.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative Branch held a hearing on Congressional Budget Office. Testimony was heard from Alice M. Rivlin, Director, CBO.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Air Force Military Construction Program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Air Force: Maj. Gen. Clifton D. Wright, Deputy Director of Engineering and Service; Brig. Gen. J. D. Mirth, Deputy for Space Launch Systems and Col. Joseph A. Ahearn, Directorate of Engineering and Services.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Panama Canal Commission and on Research and Special Program Administration. Testimony was heard from Dennis P. McAuliffe, Administrator, Panama Canal Commission.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE, GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service, General Government held a hearing on Personal Property Operating Expenses, General Supply Fund and on National Archives and Records Service. Testimony was heard from Robert T. McNamar, Deputy Secretary of the Treasury.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on H.R. 5561, to authorize certain construction at military installations for fiscal year 1983. Testimony was heard on Title I, Army from Brig. Gen. Norman G. Delbridge, Jr., Assistant Chief of Engineers, Office of the Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOD BUDGET

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation continued hearings on the man power portions of the fiscal year 1983 Defense budget request. Testimony was heard from Dr. Edward J. Philbin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Reserve Affairs, Department of Defense and the Chiefs of the Reserve Components.

Hearings continue March 17.

DOD BUDGET

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued

hearings on the procurement portions of the fiscal year 1983 Defense budget request, with emphasis on the Army's AH-64 helicopter program and the Navy/Marine Corps tactical aircraft and missile programs. Testimony was heard from James R. Ambrose, Under Secretary of the Army; VAdm. W. L. McDonald, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air Warfare), Department of the Navy and Lt. Gen. W. J. White, Deputy Chief of Staff for Aviation, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development held a hearing on H.R. 4326, Small Business Innovation Development Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mavroules, Mitchell of Maryland, McCloskey and LaFalce; William A. Long, Deputy Under Secretary for Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; Hilary J. Rauch, Director, Procurement and Assistant Management Directorate, Department of Energy; Stuart J. Evans, Assistant Administrator for Procurement, NASA; Robert F. McDermott, Associate Administrator for Procurement and Technology Assistance, SBA and public witnesses.

DOD BUDGET

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials and the Subcommittee on Readiness held a joint hearing on the fiscal year 1983 Defense budget request, with emphasis on ship overhauls, fleet modernization and T-AKX (Maritime prepositioning ship) acquisition. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: George A. Sawyer, Assistant Secretary for Shipbuilding and Logistics and VAdm. Earl B. Fowler, Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command.

FIRST BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings in preparation for the First Budget Resolution for fiscal year 1983. Testimony was heard from various Mayors and State Legislators.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Education and Labor: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education continued hearings on the impact of the Administration's budget proposals, with emphasis on higher education and libraries.

Testimony was heard from Alice M. Rivlin, Director, CBO and public witnesses.

ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Fossil and Synthetic Fuels concluded hearings on the Energy Department proposed budget for the Office of Emergency Preparedness, Office of International Affairs, and Energy Information Administration. Testimony was heard from Ulf Lantzke, Executive Director, International Energy Agency; from the following officials of the Department of Energy: William Vaughn, Assistant Secretary for Environmental Protection, Safety and Energy Preparedness; Henry Thomas, Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and Eric Evered, Administrator, Energy and Information Administration and E. Allan Wendt, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Energy Policy, Department of State.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of Clean Air Act Amendments.

Will continue tomorrow.

AT&T SETTLEMENT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Consumer Protection and Finance continued hearings on "The Proposed Antitrust Settlement of *U.S. v. AT&T*," including consideration of H.R. 5158, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to revise provisions of the act relating to telecommunications. Testimony was heard from William F. Baxter, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on the role of international security assistance in U.S. defense policy. Testimony was heard from Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Defense and Gen. David C. Jones, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on the Region 2 Administrative Radio Conference on Medium Wave Frequency Broadcasting. Testimony was heard from William Salmon, Senior Advisor for Science and Technology, Office of the Under Secretary for Security Assistance, Science and Technology, Department of State and Kalmann Schaefer, Chairman of the U.S. Delegation to the Region 2 Administrative Radio Conference, Rio de Janeiro.

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights held

a hearing on the Administration's proposal to amend the executive order on security classification. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Contracts and Printing met and considered pending Committee business.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

GRAIN ELEVATOR BANKRUPTCY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Monopolies and Commercial Law held a hearing on Grain Elevator Bankruptcy legislation (H.R. 2593, S. 1365 and related bills). Testimony was heard from Raymond D. Lett, Executive Assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 5723, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation for fiscal year 1983. Testimony was heard from Adm. Harold E. Shear, Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; VAdm. Kent J. Carroll, Commander, Military Sealift Command, Department of Defense and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 4703, as amended, to amend section 3620 of the revised statutes with respect to payroll deductions for Federal employees, and H.R. 5145, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide training opportunities for employees under the Office of the Architect of the Capitol and the Botanic Garden.

The Committee also approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

NATIONAL POPULATION OFFICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held a hearing on H.R. 907, to establish a national population and executive branch office. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HAZARDOUS WASTES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on the contamination of ground and surface water resources by hazardous waste. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: Christopher Capper, Acting Assistant Administrator, Solid Waste and Emergency Response and Gary Dietrich, Director, Office of Solid Waste.

WATER TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources continued hearings on the improvement, operation, maintenance and financing of the nation's water transportation system, including coastal and Great Lakes ports, the St. Lawrence Seaway, and the inland and intracoastal waterways. Testimony was heard from Representatives Young of Missouri; Oaker; Gephardt; Murphy and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BREEDER REACTOR AND NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE REPROCESSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Production concluded hearings on DOE breeder reactor and nuclear fuel cycle reprocessing programs for fiscal year 1983 budget request. Testimony was heard from William J. Dircks, Executive Director for Operations, NRC and public witnesses.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology approved for full Committee action a clean bill to be introduced authorizing appropriations for the National Science Foundation.

POLLUTION CONTROL FINANCING

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Energy, Environment, Safety, and Issues Affecting Small Business held a hearing on pollution control financing. Testimony was heard from Edwin Holloway, Deputy Administrator, SBA and public witnesses.

BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider Committee business.

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Senate**Chamber Action**

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Bills Introduced: Ten bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2190-2199, S.J. Res. 164, S. Con. Res. 68, and S. Res. 337-338.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 901, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the Georgetown waterfront within the District of Columbia and administer it as part of the National Capital park system (S. Rept. No. 97-321).

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Measure Passed:

Committee Funding Authorization: Senate agreed to S. Res. 333, providing funds in operating expenses of the standing, select, and special committees of the Senate, and providing for the repeal of S. Res. 289, authorizing funds for operating expenses of the Committee on Rules and Administration, after rejecting the following amendment proposed thereto:

Helms unprinted Amendment No. 827, to provide that expenditures authorized for certain committees be the same for the period covered by the resolution as for the preceding year.

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Pages 4055-4062

Senator Harrison A. Williams, Jr.: Senate continued consideration of S. Res. 204, expelling Senator Harrison A. Williams, Jr., of New Jersey, from the Senate, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Cranston Amendment No. 1336 (in the nature of a substitute), to censure instead of expel Senator Williams.

During consideration of this measure today, by 97 yeas to 3 nays, Senate agreed to a motion to compel the attendance of absent Senators.

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S. Res. 204 was indefinitely postponed, following the resignation of Senator Williams.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations:

James L. Malone, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large in connection with his appointment as Special Representative for the Law of the Sea Conference, and Chief of Delegation.

Robert E. Coyle, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of California.